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REMARKS

Claims 1, 4-7, 9-15, 17-19, 24, 26, 29 36, 39 42, 47 49 and 51-57 have been allowed. Claim 41 is being amended under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 to correct informalities, and this amendment does not add any new matter. Accordingly, Applicant requests that the amendment be entered.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned representative of the Applicant.

Respectfully submitted,

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	Extension (Months)	Extension Fee
		Large Entity Small Entity
	<input type="checkbox"/> One Month	\$110.00 \$55.00
	<input type="checkbox"/> Two Months	\$410.00 \$205.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Three Months	\$930.00 \$465.00	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made in case applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.	

Fees for Extra Claims						
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Total Claims	43	54	0	\$18.00	\$9.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	8	8	0	\$64.00	\$42.00	\$0.00
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